Our Case No. 9281-4620 Alps Case No. N US02099

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	
Kawasaki et al.))
Serial No.: 10/659,119) Examiner: Kevin M. Bernatz
Filing Date: September 10, 2003) Group Art Unit No.: 1773)
For MAGNETIC FILM AND THIN FILM MAGNETIC HEAD USING THIS MAGNETIC FILM)))

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Rejection in the Office Action of August 22, 2005, the Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the rejection in view of the amendment and remarks presented herein.

A listing of claims begins at page 2 of this paper.

The Applicants' remarks begin at page 6 of this paper.

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